



City Of Deer Park



Parks & Recreation Department

Fall & Christmas 2006



QUALITY - FIRST TIME, EVERY TIME

281-478-2050 WWW.DEERPARKTX.GOV

TumbleTown Gymnastics

TumbleBears (age 2-5)

This is a creative movement class that offers musical warm-ups, spatial awareness, eye-hand coordination, balance, flexibility, and fine motor/gross motor skills in a fun and non-threatening environment with the use of rhythmic gymnastic props such as parachute, streamers, hoops, rhythm sticks, balls, etc.

*\$25 (minimum 6 students w/ max of 8)
30 min. class*

Beginner/Intermediate Level (age 6 & Up)

The student will learn how to master progressive skills & gymnastic elements with the aid of a graded skill level system. Strength training, stretching, and technique-building will be areas emphasized for execution of skills.

\$40 (minimum 8 students w/ max of 10) 60 min. class

Private Lessons: 30 minute (\$25) 60 minute (\$50)

Monday: 4:30-5pm (age 2-3) TumbleBears

5-5:30pm (age 4-5) TumbleBears

5:30-6:30pm (age 6-9) Beginner/Intermediate

Tuesday: 4:30-5pm (age 2-5) TumbleBears

5-6pm (age 6-9) Beginner/Intermediate

Thursday: 1-1:30pm (age 2-3) TumbleBears

1:30-2pm (age 4-5) TumbleBears

4:30-5pm (age 2-3) TumbleBears

5-5:30pm (age 4-5) TumbleBears

5:30-6:30pm (age 6-9) Beginner/Intermediate

6:30-7:30 pm (age 10 & Up) Beginner/Intermediate

Discounts: \$10 family discount for each additional sibling enrolled

\$25 additional fee for students age 6 & Up, enrolled 2X per week

\$15 additional fee for students age 2-5, enrolled 2X per week

Wear a t-shirt, shorts or stretch pants, bare footed or socks.

Winter Festival

A Winter Festival will be held in December & Annual Recognition Performance in May. Registration fee is \$20/semester (excluding summer) to offset costs. Students will receive a free video by Keepsake Video.

Birthday Parties

A 90 minute party with 45 min. of gymnastics instruction. Up to 10 children, additional children \$6 each. Each additional 10 min. over 90 minutes is \$15 more. Dates on availability of Activity Center. 4 weeks notice required. For more info call 832-262-8273.

\$130 for TumbleTown Gymnastics Members

\$150 for Non-Tumble Gymnastics Members

1-2:30pm. or 3-4:30pm.

Jimmy Burke Activity Center, 500 W. 13th Street

Fall 2006 Martial Arts

The Deer Park Parks and Recreations Department Martial Arts program has been educating and strengthening the mind, body, and spirit of our community since 1975. Every one is welcome to take a free trial class and learn more about that power and strength within. No contracts and no sign up fees required. Just your willingness to work out hard. Make sure to wear comfortable clothing.

\$20/month

Mondays & Wednesdays

Introductory (ages 5-12) 6:30-7:15pm

Reg. kids (ages 5-12) 7:15-8:15pm

Teen/adults (ages 13-70) 8:15-9:15pm

Deer Park Community Center,

610 E. San Augustine

USA Tennis 1-2-3

Tennis 1-2-3 is a nationwide program designed to introduce the game of tennis to children. Learn by combining instruction, practice, and match play into the same day experience. The program has prepared students for junior tennis league play and has been a stepping stone for many junior champions.

\$79 – 6 week session

(\$74 for returning students)

Saturdays

Session I – September 16 - October 21

Session II – November 4 - December 16

Tennis Buddies (Ages 5–8) 9-10am

Future Stars (Ages 9–12) 10:15-11:15am

Dow Park Tennis Courts (behind Deer Park Community Center)

610 E. San Augustine



Youth Flag Football

Non-contact Football program that teaches offensive and defensive positioning. Teams may advance to a state TAAF Flag Football tournament. Register at the Community Center. Practice times and location will be determined by the coaches. Hurry and sign up today!

Three age groups; 8 & under (as young as 6), 10 & under; 12 & under. Age determined as of September 1, 2006. Limit of 12 per team.

\$70 per Child

Practice begins in August, games begin in September.

Games-Saturdays-Location to be announced

9-3pm

Maxwell Adult Center

We are located at 1201 Center (corner of 12th/Center), open to age 55 and above. Our hours are 9am – 5pm five days a week. We also have the Tuesday Nite Club and Thursday Game Nite.

Every morning when the doors open, we have people waiting to get the “42,” domino, and bridge tables started. We offer bingo on Wednesdays at 1pm and also on the third Thursday of the month at 6pm.

If you're tired of cooking for yourself, come join us for lunch. Our menu is in the “Chatter” newsletter, found in the lobby. This meal is \$2 and is prepared by Ken's Restaurant. We also deliver lunches to qualified shut-ins in Deer Park five days a week.

If you are interested in oil painting lessons, please let us know. Our other classes – ceramics, Brazilian embroidery, quilting and dollmaking are going strong. Stay tuned for our basic computer skills class introducing you to the internet, data processing and spreadsheets.

Our exercise class (M W F at 9am) is really growing, it covers everything you need to keep your bodies fit and where they need to be with the aging process.

The Christmas Banquet is Dec. 14 – 6pm at the Jimmy Burke Activity Center, 500 W. 13th St. We look forward to seeing you there.

For more information, please call 281-478-7276.

Art Park Players

The Trip to Bountiful

October 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 20, 21

A lyrical work that tells a story of journeys - over land and a lifetime. Follow an aging widow as she travels to the town of her youth. There she discovers the satisfaction of a life well lived and a connection to her past.

S.A.F.E. Spot

(Saturday-Activity-Fun-Escape)

Every Saturday night the Community Center becomes the SAFE Spot. A safe secure spot for Deer Park Youth to enjoy activities such as basketball, karaoke, dance contests and more.

Open to ages 9-13.

\$10/person
Every Saturday evening, 7-11:30pm
Deer Park Community Center,
610 E. San Augustine

LOCK-IN

On December 16 we will have another overnight lock-in.
Plan to attend this exciting event.

Upcoming Events

Another Man's Treasure City Wide Garage Sale
February 23-24, 2007

Spring Break Camp
March 12-16

Adult Flag Football

We will conduct Fall 8-on-8 flag football for adults. League choices are men's recreational (Tuesday) and men's competitive (Thursday). There is a 4 team minimum and 8 team maximum. Minimum of 7 games. Ages 18 and up.

\$300
Tuesday, or Thursday
6:30; 7:30; 8:30 & 9:30pm
Adult Softball Complex (Pasadena Blvd.)
Games begin early September
Register in the Community Center

Adult Volleyball

The Parks & Recreation Department sponsors volleyball leagues year round at the City Gym. Leagues last about 11 weeks. Team entry fees are \$130 per team for 8 league games and 2 extra playoff games for the top 4 finishers. You need 3 men and 3 women and you are *set*.

Scores and standings are posted each week at: www.deerparktx.gov

Adult Softball Leagues

Registration for Adult Spring Softball Leagues will begin in mid-February. League play begins the first week of April. Call 281-478-2050 for information or to get on the mailing list for softball.

Hunter's Education Course

Deer Park Parks and Recreation and Texas Parks and Wildlife present a class for all hunters. Upon completion of this class hunters can become certified and eligible to hunt.

Ages -12 & Over.

\$15/Person for Certificate
Fees benefit Texas Parks and Wildlife
Session I – September 22-23
Session II – October 13-14
Session III – November 17-18
Session IV – December 15-16
Fridays times are 6:30-9:30pm
Saturdays times are 8:30am-5:30pm
Deer Park Community Center

Ladies Low Impact Aerobics

Low impact cardiovascular exercise. Mats and weights provided. Wear comfortable clothes and good cross-training shoes.

Come have fun! All ages.

*\$20 month
Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays – 8:30-9:30am
Deer Park Community Center,
610 E. San Augustine*

Gulf Coast Sports Challenge

Each Company will compete in 13 athletic events from Bowling to Volleyball.

*\$850 Per Company
Beginning Thursday, September 7
Location and times vary.*

NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass, and Kick

Skills competition for boys and girls in punting, passing and kicking a football with the opportunity to advance to regional and state levels.

Ages: Boys/Girls 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15.

*Free
Saturday-August 19
9am-12am
Adult Softball Complex, 2600 E. Pasadena Blvd.
Please bring a copy of birth certificate.
No cleats allowed/ Rules strictly enforced.*

Basic Dog Obedience

This is an eight week course that helps teach your dog good manners, such as walking calmly on a leash, staying where told to stay, not bothering you while you are eating and so much more. You cannot train a dog unless you have their attention so we work on games to play with your dog that is also teaching him to watch and listen to you.

Get in on this last session and train your dog before the holidays. Children can come if they are old enough to take directions but parents are encouraged to help.

*\$60 for 8 week session
Tuesdays, September 5 - October 24
7-8pm
Jimmy Burke Activity Center
500 W. 13th Street*

You may leave a message for Bren at 281-998-7683 for information. Registrar through Parks and Recreation office.



Pilates

Anyone can do Pilates regardless of age, size or experience. Pilates strengthens and tightens the midsection, creating a more streamlined shape. The goal is to balance our bodies, alleviate pain, reduce stress, improve endurance, look better and feel great!

Pilates – Whole Body Workout – 6:30-7:20pm

*\$20/month – 1 day per week – Tuesday or Thursday
\$40/month – 2 days per week – Tuesday & Thursday
Deer Park Community Center
610 E. San Augustine*

Yoga For Wellness

Are you stressed out? Tired? Irritable? Out of Shape? Yoga For Wellness is designed just for you!

These weekly classes emphasize awareness of breath and movement to release tension in your body, tone and strengthen your key muscles, and calm your mind.

Viniyoga is “body friendly” yoga, easy to get started and see increased flexibility, toned muscles, fewer aches and pains, peace of mind and a better outlook on life.

A beginner described her experience: “When I started, tension had me wound up like spiral pasta, now I feel stretched out like spaghetti. It’s wonderful!”

Ages: 18 and over.

\$49 per session (5 classes) or \$12 per class; no refunds or transfers

Session I: Sept. 11 - Oct. 9 (5 classes)

Session II: Oct. 30 - Dec. 4 (no class Nov. 20) (5 classes)

6:45-7:45pm

*Claude Burgess Center,
4200 Kalwick*

A limited supply of yoga mats are provided.

Wear comfortable clothing.

Little Chefs

Bring out the chef in your little one and join the City of Deer Park for a fun cooking class designed for preschoolers. The class includes different treats and healthy guidelines. Recipes are included. Parent participation required.

For 20 children 3-5 years of age.

Each session is \$10.00 per child/parent cooking team

\$5 for each extra child

Fridays

Session 1 – September 8 – 2-3pm

Session 2 – September 15 – 2-3pm

Session 3 – September 22 – 2-3pm

Deer Park Community Center

610 E. San Augustine

Kids on the Go- OLD MACDONALD'S FARM

Ready to have some old-fashioned fun? The City of Deer Park Parks and Recreation Department will be visiting Old MacDonald's Farm on Friday, September 29. (No School on this day!) We will have some barnyard fun with train rides, pony rides, petting zoos, duck and crawfish ponds, volleyball and a hay barn. Different play areas for us to play on will include sand mountain, Indian village and Fort Apache. We will depart from the Deer Park Community Center, 610 E. San Augustine at 9:30am and return promptly at 4pm. All farmers will be asked to please bring a sack lunch and extra spending money for souvenirs.

Open to 20 participants. Ages 6-12 years old.

\$12

September 29

Drop Off 9:30am & Pick Up 4pm

Drop off and pick up at the Deer Park Community Center,
610 E. San Augustine

A waiver will need to be signed before the child is dropped off.

Skate Park

Located in Dow Park, the park is open to all ages (6 years of age to adults must have a Skate Park I.D. card).

\$5 for Skate Park Card for 6 years old and up

Monday-Friday; 2:30-9pm

Saturday & Sunday; 10am-9pm

Dow Park

610 E. San Augustine

A parent waiver must be signed for those under 18

Mummy's Night Out

Join us for an all-nighter of ghostly fun. We will keep your goblins up all night with games, pillow fights, Halloween arts and crafts, homemade treats, trick or treat session, movies and a costume contest. Bring or wear costumes.

Limit 40 goblins. Ages 5-11. Bring comfortable clothes, bed roll and pillow. Late fee will be enforced for late pick up. Please feed kids dinner before they arrive, only snacks on Friday evening. Continental breakfast Saturday morning.

\$25

Drop off - 8pm Friday, October 13

Pick-up - 7am (sharp!) Saturday, October 14

Deer Park Community Center

610 E. San Augustine, Room 6

GOBLIN GALLOP 5K & 1 MILE KID'S RUN

A Certified TAC event, with men's and women's divisions competing for awards in the 5K run. Awards given 3 deep in each age & gender category, as well as Overall Male & Female and Overall Masters Male & Female. Once again this year we'll be running a kids 1 mile cross country run thru Dow Park. The Kid's run will be awarded medals. Register at the Community Center. There will be door prizes and refreshments. All runners will receive a T-shirt.

\$18 for 5K registration (\$20 race day registration)

Fee: \$10 for Kid's 1 Mile (\$12 race day)

Saturday, October 28

Race Start Time - 5K - 8 am - Kids mile - 9 am



Turkey Camp

Gobble Gobble Gobble! Out of school for the Thanksgiving holidays and want to stay busy? Join the City of Deer Park Parks and Recreation Department for arts and crafts, cooking, games and field trips! Turkey Camp will take two field trips; Tuesday, November 21 to Skate World of Deer Park and Wednesday, November 22 to Incredible Pizza. Spend your time off making friends and having fun. Camp is limited, so hurry and sign up before camp fills up.

Limited to 45 participants. Ages 6-12 years old.

\$60 includes both field trips

November 20-22

7:30am-6pm

Claude Burgess Center,

4200 Kalwick

A parent packet will need to be filled out before the first day of camp.



Creative Hands Craft Sale

Come join the Deer Park Community in our City Wide Creative Hands Craft Sale. There will be free parking, free admission and a concession stand. We are accepting applications for vendors at this time.

*Jimmy Burke Activity Center
500 W. 13th Street
November 10-11
8am-4pm*

Kids on the Go-Haunted House

(Scream World 4-in-1)

Creepy, Crawly and Scary! Get ready for the scare of your life. Are you ready to visit one of Houston's scariest haunted houses? The Deer Park Parks and Recreation Department will be visiting Scream World – 3 haunted houses and an outdoor maze – Haunted Hotel, Edge of Darkness, Movie Monsters in 3D and Maze of Maniacs. Parents will need to sign a waiver form before their child is dropped off. We will be departing from the Community Center, 610 E. San Augustine at 7pm and arriving back at 9:45pm.

25 max. scared participants, ages 12-15 years old.

*\$25
October 13 (Friday the 13th!)
Drop off at 7pm & Pick up at 9:45pm
Drop off and pick up from the Deer Park Community Center,
610 E. San Augustine*

Parents will need to sign a waiver before their child is dropped off.

Youth Basketball 2007

Co-sponsored by the City of Deer Park & DPISD

[Restricted to Deer Park residents & DPISD students]

Basketball teams are being formed to compete in a school league, 10 players per team. Teams will be determined by "blind draft." Partial teams may be combined with partial teams from other schools.

Boys & girls teams formed from 3rd & 4th grade, 5th grade, and 6th grade. Draft (open to Coaches only) will be Wednesday, December 6. Practice begins when school resumes after the Christmas Holidays. Season games are Saturdays, January 13 - February 24, 2007.

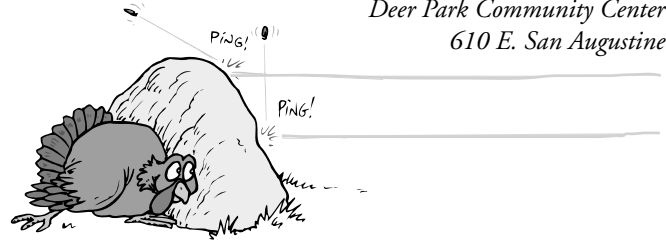
We usually have openings for coaches, call 281-478-2050 for more info.

*\$45 per child.
Register October 9 - November 17
at Deer Park Community Center or ask the coach at your school.
No Birth certificates needed, but you should know height,
weight and shirt size of your child.*

Thanksgiving Harvest Carnival

Come join us for a time full of Pre-Thanksgiving fun. We will be bringing in the fall season with a Harvest Carnival including a variety of carnival games, turkey walks, face painting, and many more. The night will include prizes and contests as well. For ages 3-9.

*\$8
Friday, November 17, 6-8pm
Deer Park Community Center
610 E. San Augustine*



Turkey Shoot

Try out your archery and riflery skills for a chance to win a FREE Thanksgiving turkey. Ages 6-12, 13-17, and 18 & up (archery only). Register now or the day of the event and you must use the equipment provided.

*Free
Tuesday, November 21
Check in is at 6pm and event is from 7-9pm
Back half of Jimmy Burke Activity Center
500 W. 13th Street*

Girls Day Out

Join us for a morning to early afternoon with just the girls. We're going to experience the classic play A Christmas Carol downtown at the Alley Theatre. We will go for a matinee show and then go out to lunch. For girls ages 9-14. Limit of 13 girls.

*\$22 (includes ticket and lunch)
Monday, November 20
8am-3pm
Meet at Deer Park Community Center
610 E. San Augustine*

Christmas Crafts and Cookies

The holiday season wouldn't be normal without Christmas decorating, craft making, gift giving, and dessert making. Come join us for a time of creating a Christmas craft and baking holiday treats. We will spend time decorating our craft and the cookies as well. For anyone interested ages 7-12.

*\$12
Wednesday, December 20
1-4pm
Deer Park Community Center
610 E. San Augustine*

Santa Calling

Santa is calling all good little boys and girls to talk about their Christmas wishes this year. Just fill out a form and turn it into the front office at the Deer Park Community Center, 610 E. San Augustine. It is Santa's greatest pleasure to speak to all the boys and girls, so Santa's phone call is absolutely free. Calls are made between 6:30-8pm.

*Free
December 12 & 14
Calls are made between 6:30-8pm.
Drop off forms at the Deer Park Community Center,
610 E. San Augustine.*

Sorry No make-up calls will be made for missed calls.

Santa Sleep Over

Come join us for a night of Christmas fun including holiday treats, arts and crafts, pillow fights and Christmas movies. We will keep the little ones up all night and even have a special visit from Santa Clause himself.

Limit of 40 elves. For girls and boys ages 5-11 years old. Bring comfortable clothes, bed roll and pillow. Late fee will be enforced for late pick up. Please feed kids dinner before they arrive, only snacks on Friday evening. Continental breakfast Saturday morning.

*\$25
December 15-16
Drop off @ 8pm
Pick up @ 7am (Sharp!)
Deer Park Community Center,
610 E. San Augustine, Room 6*



Holiday Sleigh Ride

Bundle up and bring the whole family to see a beautiful display of Christmas decorated homes. We will start off the evening with a cup of hot chocolate and cookies, then load up onto sleighs and enjoy Deer Park's holiday spirit. Two rides each night. Reservations must be made in advance and spaces are limited. Children must be accompanied by an adult and a waiver must be signed for each participant.

Limit 30 participants per ride.

*\$4 per rider / ride
Monday, Dec. 18 - Thursday, Dec. 21
1st ride - 6-7:30pm
2nd ride - 7-8:30pm
Meet at the Deer Park Community Center,
610 E. San Augustine, Room 11*

Christmas Vacation Camp

Join the Deer Park Parks and Recreation Department for Christmas Vacation Camp. Enjoy a full day of arts and crafts, games, cooking, science and field trips. Christmas Camp will visit Skate World of Deer Park, Tuesday, December 19, Pump It Up on Wednesday, December 20 and Diamond Lanes on Friday, December 22. Camp is limited, so hurry and don't miss the chance to make some new friends.

Open to 45 participants. Ages 6-12 year olds.

*\$80 includes field trips
December 18-22
7:30am-6pm
Claude Burgess Center,
4200 Kalwick*

A parent packet will need to be filled out before the first day of camp.



Tournaments, Tournaments, Tournaments!

Test your skills in one or more of our fun filled tournaments in the Game Room. Awards will be given to patrons who place 1st, 2nd or 3rd the day of the tournament.

Monday-Shuffleboard
Tuesday-8-Ball
Wednesday-9-Ball
Thursday-Air Hockey
Friday-Ping Pong

Two age groups - 12 and under & 13 and older.

*Free
12 and under tournaments begin at 11am
(Sign-Up begins at 10:45am)
13 and older tournaments begin at 2pm
(Sign-Up begins at 1:45pm)
December 18-22
Deer Park Community Center Game Room,
610 E. San Augustine*



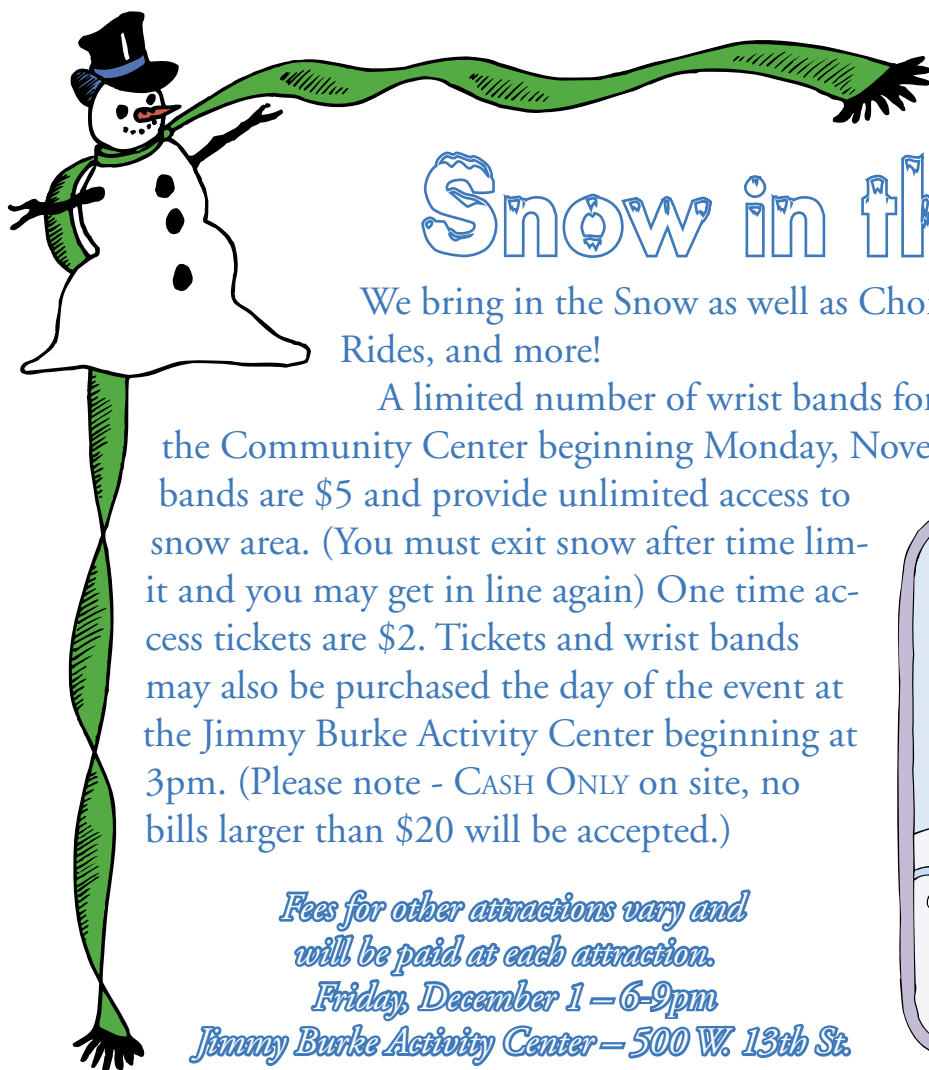
Halloween Carnival

This year we will have our
Pumpkin Town, Haunted
Maze, Costume Contest,
and much more!

Cost varies by event

Tuesday, October 31 – 6-9pm

Jimmy Burke Activity Center – 500 W. 13th Street



Snow in the Park

We bring in the Snow as well as Choirs singing, Hot Chocolate, Train Rides, and more!

A limited number of wrist bands for the snow area will go on sale at the Community Center beginning Monday, November 27, from 8am-5pm. Wrist bands are \$5 and provide unlimited access to snow area. (You must exit snow after time limit and you may get in line again) One time access tickets are \$2. Tickets and wrist bands may also be purchased the day of the event at the Jimmy Burke Activity Center beginning at 3pm. (Please note - CASH ONLY on site, no bills larger than \$20 will be accepted.)

*Fees for other attractions vary and
will be paid at each attraction.*

Friday, December 1 – 6-9pm

Jimmy Burke Activity Center – 500 W. 13th St.

